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SUBJECT:TRANSPORTATION OF POV, BUC D. N. TULL

REF: (A) PRETORIA 3630

(B) JOINT TRAVEL REGULATIONS (JTR) M11003

FOR CPOIC SEABEE PROGRAM, RSO, TRANSPORTATION OFFICER

1. RESEARCH OF MILITARY TRAVEL REGULATIONS WAS CONDUCTED  
UPON RECEIPT OF REF (A). THE POSSIBILITIES AVAILABLE  
FOR SHIPPING OF BUC D. N. TULL'S POV IS OUTLINED AS  
FOLLOWS:

A. POV CANNOT BE TRANSSHIPPED FROM GEORGIA TO  
FLORIDA AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE. REF (B) AUTHORIZES  
SHIPMENT OF POV FROM AN OVERSEAS PORT TO A DESIGNATED IN  
CONUS PORT ONLY AND DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR TRANSSHIPMENT TO  
ANOTHER U.S. PORT AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

B. SAVANNAH IS NOT A DESIGNATED PORT.

C. FOR SHIPMENT OF POV TO FLORIDA THE MILITARY HAS  
THREE DESIGNATED IN CONUS PORTS; NORFOLK, VA, CHARLESTON,  
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S.C., AND NEW ORLEANS, LA. REGULATIONS STATE THAT THE

MILIRARY MEBER MUST SHIP HIS POV TO HIS CHOICE OF ONE OF THESE THREE DESIGNATED PORTS. CHIEF TULL SHOULD, IF POSSIBLE, SELECT THE PORT MOST CONVENIENT AND LEAST EXPENSIVE TO HIMSELF FOR FURTHER MOVEMENT OF HIS POV TO FLORIDA.

D. IS IS NOTED THAT SUBPARAGRAPH 2(4) OF REF (B) STATES THAT SHIPMENT OF POV MAY BE ALLOWED AS AN EXCEPTION TO A NON-DESIGNATED PORT ( SAVANNAH, IN THIS CASE ) IF DIRECT OCEAN SERVICE IS NOT AVAILABLE FROM THE AUTHORIZED PORT OF ORIGIN ( SOUTH AFRICA ) TO ONE OF THE THREE AUTHORIZED DESTINATION PORTS ( NORFOLK, CHARLESTON OR NEW ORLEANS ) IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE.

E. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF BUC TULL TO OBTAIN VERIFICATION THAT SHIPMENT TO ONE OF THESE DESINATED PORTS IS NOT AVAILABLE IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE, IF THAT IS THE CASE. ROBINSON

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